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## Open and closed cassette roller blinds

### Fitting & operating instructions

Thank you for purchasing this product. Please read the instructions and warnings carefully before use to ensure safe and satisfactory operation of this product. It is recommended that this blind should only be installed by persons competent in DIY.

Carefully unwrap your roller blind and its associated brackets.

There are two bracket options for cassette blinds, face fix and top fix.

#### Fitting the brackets

For a blind up to 1 metre wide attach two brackets fitted approximately 75mm (3") from each end of the blind. Any intermediate brackets should be spaced evenly between these and as a general rule;

Up to 1m = 2 brackets.

1m to 2m = 3 brackets.

2m to 3m = 4 brackets.

Over 3m = 5 brackets.

The bracket release lip on the bracket must face the back of the blind.

Mark the hole positions before drilling and plugging if necessary. Use two screws in each bracket ensuring that the brackets are level. Remember to allow room for the blind to clear any obstacles when deployed, e.g. door or window handles.

#### Fitting the cassette

Once all the brackets are in place offer the blind to the brackets. With the cassette tilted away from you locate the front lip into the bracket and push upwards to click the cassette into the back lip of the bracket.

#### Operating the blind

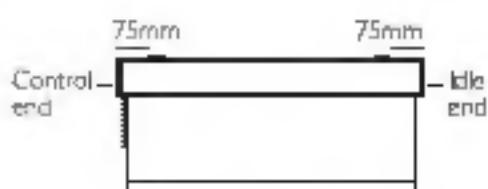
For a conventional roller blind, in order to lower the blind pull the rearmost length of chain downwards with a smooth and steady pressure. To raise the blind up do the same on the front length of chain.

For a reverse roll blind the opposite is true, to lower use the front chain and to raise, use the rear chain.



Face fix bracket

Top fix bracket



Control end

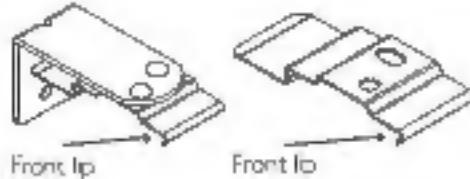
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Idle end



Release lip

Release lip



Front lip

Front lip

#### Child safety

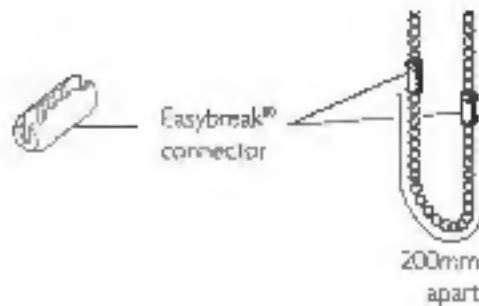
Your blind will be supplied with Easybreak® connectors attached to the operating chain.

#### Easybreak® System

Two Easybreak® connectors are connected to the operating chain 200mm apart. This ensures that at least one of them will be in the vertical position ensuring they perform as required.

If excessive weight is applied within the loop an Easybreak® connector will break apart.

If an Easybreak® connector comes apart then it will need to be re-connected. To re-connect, check the Easybreak® connector for damage. If undamaged, re-connect the chain by inserting the last ball on the end of the chain into the larger hole of the connector and push it into place.



#### WARNING!

Please read all safety warnings and installation information fully before installation. Young children can be strangled by loops in pull cords, chains, tapes and inner cords that operate the product.

To avoid strangulation and entanglement, keep cords out of the reach of young children. Cords may become wrapped around a child's neck. Move beds, cots and furniture away from window covering cords.

Do not tie cords together. Make sure cords do not twist and create a loop.

For further information go to: [www.makeitsafe.org.uk](http://www.makeitsafe.org.uk)

The head rail shall not be installed less than 1.5m from the floor.



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Retain these instructions for future reference.